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INFO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORG, UN, XF

SUBJ: ADDITIONAL STAFF FOR PALESTINIAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE

REF: USUN 4886; TEL AVIV 9798

1. USUN HAS SPENT A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF TIME  
AND EFFORT OPPOSING THE PROPOSAL TO INCREASE PERMANENT  
STAFF OF PALESTINIAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE. AS DEPARTMENT WILL  
RECALL, WE DISCOVERED PROPOSED INCREASE VERY EARLY WHEN IT  
WAS UNDER DISCUSSION BY LITERALLY ONLY A HANDFUL OF SECRETARIAT  
AND COMMITTEE OFFICERS (USUN 4064).

2. INITIAL PROPOSED WAS TO CREATE CENTER FOR PALESTINIAN  
RIGHTS. PROPOSED STAFF FOR CENTER WOULD HAVE NUMBERED FIVE  
PROFESSIONALS AND TWO OR THREE SECRETARIES. ACCORDING TO  
SECRETARIAT OFFICIAL THAT WOULD HAVE ONLY BEEN THE BEGINNING  
(REFTEL PARA 2). THERE IS NO QUESTION IF THIS PROPOSAL  
HAD BEEN PUT IN FINAL FORM AND VOTED ON IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY,  
IT WOULD HAVE PASSED BY LARGE MARGIN. WE MAY HAVE CONTRIBUTED  
IN SOME SMALL PART TO CENTER PROPOSAL BEING DROPPED  
IN FAVOR OF MODEST INCREASE IN STAFF OF COMMITTEE IN FORM  
OF UNIT UNDER SECRETARIAT CONTROL (USUN 4799 PARA 3).

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3. WE ARE NOW FACED WITH RES INCREASING PERMANENT  
STAFF OF COMMITTEE WHICH HAS SYMPATHY IN EC-9 GROUP  
(USUN 4777). E WILL CONTINUE EFFORTS TO BLOCK SIMILARLY  
THIS RES, BUT DEPARTMENT SHOULD BE AWARE THAT DELEGATE  
SUCH AS RAMESH MULYE (INDIA) WHO WITH INDIAN AMBASSADOR  
JAIPAL HAVE BEEN HELPFUL IN THIS MATTER COMMENTED TO US,

"IT IS NO GOOD TO HELP YOU. YOU ARE NEVER SATISFIED.  
NOW THAT THE CENTER PROPOSAL HAS BEEN SIDE-TRACKED,  
YOU WANT TO DENY THE COMMITTEE ANY STAFF AT ALL."  
(FOR THE RECORD, OUR RESPONSE TO MULYE'S COMPLAINT WAS  
THAT WE HAVE BEEN OPPOSED TO AN INCREASE IN THE COMMITTEE'S  
STAFF IN ANY FORM FROM THE BEGINNING). WE SHALL CONTINUE  
TO WORK AGAINST RES PROPOSING ADDITIONAL STAFF FOR COMMITTEE,  
BUT AS DEPARTMENT AWARE OF OUR CHANCES WERE "SLIGHT"  
FOR GETTING CENTER BLOCKED, THEY ARE EVEN LESS SO FOR  
GETTING COMMITTEE STAFF INCREASE STOPPED.

4. TEL AVIV MAY FIND IT HELPFUL TO MAKE CLEAR TO OFFICERS  
IN ISRAELI FON MIN WHAT HAS ALREADY BEEN AVERTED (PARA 2  
REFTEL) AND TO ASSURE THEM THAT IN COOPERATION WITH ISRAELI  
DEL WE WILL DO BEST WE CAN TO BLOCK, DELAY OR MINIMIZE  
ANY INCREASE IN COMMITTEE'S PERMANENT STAFF.  
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